#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

### Form 8-K

Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 7, 2024

### AXOGEN, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Minnesota (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) **001-36046** (Commission File Number) 41-1301878 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

13631 Progress Boulevard, Suite 400 Alachua, Florida (Address of principal executive offices)

32615

(Zip Code)

(386) 462-6800

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e- 4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of exchange on which registered					
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	AXGN	The Nasdaq Stock Market					

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company []

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On November 7, 2024 Axogen, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its third quarter of 2024 financial results. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

The information furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 hereto, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of such section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into future filings by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or under the Exchange Act, unless the Company expressly sets forth in such future filing that such information is to be considered "filed" or incorporated by reference therein.

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On November 7, 2024, the Company also posted an updated corporate presentation to its website at https://ir.axogeninc.com/news-events. The Company may use the investor presentation from time to time in conversation with analysts, investors, and others. A copy of the investor update is furnished as Exhibit 99.2.

The information in this Item 7.01 including Exhibit 99.2 is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act or Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### (d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Axogen Inc. Press Release, dated November 7, 2024
99.2	Axogen, Inc. Corporate Presentation, dated November 7, 2024
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Exchange Act, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

AXOGEN, INC.

Dated: November 7, 2024

By: /s/ Marc Began

Marc Began

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer



### Axogen, Inc Reports Third Quarter 2024 Financial Results and Provides BLA Update

ALACHUA and TAMPA, FL – November 7, 2024 – Axogen, Inc. (NASDAQ: AXGN), a global leader in developing and marketing innovative surgical solutions for peripheral nerve injuries, today reported financial results and business highlights for the third quarter ended September 30, 2024.

### **Third Quarter Financial Results**

- Third quarter revenue was \$48.6 million, a 17.9% increase compared to the third quarter of 2023.
- In the third quarter of 2024, gross margin decreased to 74.9%, down from 76.8% in the third quarter of 2023.
- Net loss for the quarter was \$1.9 million, or \$0.04 per share, compared to net loss of \$4.1 million, or \$0.10 per share in the third quarter of 2023.
- Adjusted net income for the quarter was \$3.1 million, or \$0.07 per share, compared to adjusted net loss of \$0.7 million, or \$0.01 per share, in the third quarter of 2023.
- Adjusted EBITDA was \$6.5 million for the quarter, compared to an adjusted EBITDA of \$2.4 million in the third quarter of 2023.
- The balance of all cash, cash equivalents, and investments on September 30, 2024, was \$30.5 million, as compared to a balance of \$27.1 million on June 30, 2024

"We are pleased with the third quarter's topline revenue and EBITDA growth. Notably, our revenue performance in the quarter was broad based across our entire portfolio of nerve repair and protection applications, reflecting improved sales productivity and commercial execution," commented Michael Dale, CEO and Director of Axogen, Inc. "Since joining the Axogen team, everything I've observed and experienced reaffirms my estimation that we have significant undeveloped potential to make nerve repair an expected standard of care around the world."

### **Summary of Business Highlights**

- On November 1<sup>st</sup>, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) notified the company that they accepted the filing of its Biologics License Application (BLA) for Avance Nerve Graft<sup>®</sup> under a standard review and assigned a Prescription Drug User Fee Act (PDUFA) goal date of September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The FDA further indicated that it does not currently plan to hold an advisory committee for the application.
- During the quarter, at the American Society for Surgery of the Hand (ASSH), we presented novel data highlighting the extent of
  nerve damage that occurs in common injuries, the importance of protection of the nerve coaptation site and the growing role of
  Avance Nerve Graft in sensory, mixed and motor nerve repair.
- Recently, we executed on a National Resensation Breast program as well as numerous regional surgeon education programs in Extremities and Head & Neck.

#### 2024 Financial Guidance

We are maintaining our full year revenue guidance in the range of \$182 million to \$186 million, and now expect to be at the high end of our 74-76% full year gross margin range. Additionally, we reiterate that we expect to be net cash flow positive cumulatively for the period from April 1st through year end.

### **Conference Call**

The Company will host a conference call and webcast for the investment community today at 8:00 a.m. ET. Investors interested in participating in the conference call by phone may do so by dialing toll free at (877) 407-0993 or use the direct dial-in number at (201) 689-8795. Those interested in listening to the conference call live via the Internet may do so by visiting the Investors page of the Company's website at www.axogeninc.com and clicking on the webcast link.

Following the conference call, a replay will be available in the Investors section of the Company's website at<u>www.axogeninc.com</u> under Investors.

#### About Axogen

Axogen (AXGN) is the leading Company focused specifically on the science, development, and commercialization of technologies for peripheral nerve regeneration and repair. Axogen employees are passionate about helping to restore peripheral nerve function and quality of life to patients with physical damage or transection to peripheral nerves by providing innovative, clinically proven, and economically effective repair solutions for surgeons and health care providers. Peripheral nerves provide the pathways for both motor and sensory signals throughout the body. Every day, people suffer traumatic injuries or undergo surgical procedures that impact the function of their peripheral nerves. Physical damage to a peripheral nerve, or the inability to properly reconnect peripheral nerves, can result in the loss of muscle or organ function, the loss of sensory feeling, or the initiation of pain.

Axogen's platform for peripheral nerve repair features a comprehensive portfolio of products used across various applications and surgical specialties, including traumatic injuries, oral and maxillofacial surgery, breast reconstruction, and the surgical treatment of pain. These applications encompass both scheduled and emergent procedures. Specifically, scheduled procedures are often pursued by patients seeking relief from conditions caused by a nerve defect or previous surgical interventions. Such

procedures include providing sensation for women undergoing breast reconstruction following a mastectomy, nerve reconstruction after the surgical removal of painful neuromas, and oral and maxillofacial procedures, as well as nerve decompression. Conversely, emergent procedures typically arise from injuries that initially present in an emergency room, with specialists intervening either immediately or within a few days following the initial injury. This broad range of applications underscores Axogen's vital role in addressing diverse patient needs in peripheral nerve repair.

Axogen's platform for peripheral nerve repair features a comprehensive portfolio of products, including Avance<sup>®</sup> Nerve Graft, a biologically active off-the-shelf processed human nerve allograft for bridging severed peripheral nerves without the comorbidities associated with a second surgical site; Axoguard Nerve Connector<sup>®</sup>, a porcine submucosa extracellular matrix (ECM) coaptation aid for tensionless repair of severed peripheral nerves; Axoguard Nerve Protector<sup>®</sup>, a porcine submucosa ECM product used to wrap and protect damaged peripheral nerves and reinforce the nerve reconstruction while preventing soft tissue attachments; Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector<sup>™</sup>, a porcine submucosa ECM base layer coated with a proprietary hyaluronate-alginate gel, a next-generation technology designed to enhance nerve gliding and provide short- and long-term protection for peripheral nerve injuries; Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix <sup>TM</sup>, a multi-layer amniotic membrane allograft used to protect and separate tissues in the surgical bed during the critical phase of tissue repair; and Axoguard Nerve Cap<sup>®</sup>, a porcine submucosa ECM product used to protect a peripheral nerve end and separate the nerve from the surrounding environment to reduce the development of symptomatic or painful neuroma. The Axogen portfolio of products is available in the United States, Canada, the United Kingdom, South Korea, and several other European and international countries.

For more information, visit www.axogeninc.com.

### **Cautionary Statements Concerning Forward-Looking Statements**

This press release contains "forward-looking" statements as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements are based on management's current expectations or predictions of future conditions, events, or results based on various assumptions and management's estimates of trends and economic factors in the markets in which we are active, as well as our business plans. Words such as "expects," "anticipates," "intends," "plans," "believes," "seeks," "estimates," "projects," "forecasts," "continue," "may," "should," "will," "goals," and variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements include, without limitation, the estimation of significant undeveloped potential to make nerve repair an expected standard of care around the world, the Company's expectations regarding the potential for approval of the BLA in September 2025, as well as statements under the subheading "2024 Financial Guidance." Actual results or events could differ materially from those described in any forward-looking statements as a result of various factors, including, without limitation, global supply chain issues, hospital staffing issues, product development, product potential, clinical outcomes, regulatory process and approvals, financial performance, sales growth, surgeon and product adoption, market awareness of our products, data validation, our visibility at and sponsorship of conferences and educational events, global business disruption caused by Russia's invasion of Ukraine and related sanctions, recent geopolitical conflicts in the Middle East, potential disruptions due to management transitions, as well as those risk factors described under Part I, Item 1A, "Risk Factors," of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the most recently ended fiscal year and in our subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10Q. Forward-looking statements are not a guarantee of future performance, and actual results may differ materially from those projected. The forward-looking statements are representative only as of the date

they are made and, except as required by applicable law, we assume no responsibility to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements.

#### About Non-GAAP Financial Measures

To supplement our condensed consolidated financial statements, we use the non-GAAP financial measures of EBITDA, which measures earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization, and Adjusted EBITDA which further excludes non-cash stock compensation expense and litigation and related expenses. We also use the non-GAAP financial measures of Adjusted Net Income or Loss and Adjusted Net Income or Loss Per Common Share - basic and diluted which excludes non-cash stock compensation expense and litigation and related expenses. We also use the non-GAAP financial measures of Adjusted Net Income or Loss and Adjusted Net Income or Loss and Adjusted Net Income or Loss Per Common Share - basic and diluted which excludes non-cash stock compensation expense and litigation and related expenses from Net Loss and Net Loss Per Common Share - basic and diluted, respectively. These non-GAAP measures are not based on any comprehensive set of accounting rules or principles and should not be considered a substitute for, or superior to, financial measures calculated in accordance with GAAP, and may be different from non-GAAP measures used by other companies. In addition, these non-GAAP measures should be read in conjunction with our financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP. The reconciliations of the non-GAAP measures to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP should be carefully evaluated.

We use these non-GAAP financial measures for financial and operational decision-making and as a means to evaluate period-to-period comparisons. We believe that these non-GAAP financial measures provide meaningful supplemental information regarding our performance and that both management and investors benefit from referring to these non-GAAP financial measures in assessing our performance and when planning, forecasting, and analyzing future periods. We believe these non-GAAP financial measures are useful to investors because (1) they allow for greater transparency with respect to key metrics used by management in its financial and operational decision-making and (2) they are used by our institutional investors and the analyst community to help them analyze the performance of our business, the Company's cash available for operations, and the Company's ability to meet future capital expenditure and working capital requirements.

Contact: Axogen, Inc. InvestorRelations@axogeninc.com

### AXOGEN, INC. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (unaudited) (In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

	Septe	mber 30, 2024	Decembe	er 31, 2023
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	18,662	\$	31,024
Restricted cash		6,000		6,002
Investments		5,868		_
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$888 and \$337, respectively		24,629		25,147
Inventory, net		29,363		23,020
Prepaid expenses and other		1,730		2,811
Total current assets		86,252		88,004
Property and equipment, net		85,632		88,730
Operating lease right-of-use assets		14,886		15,562
Intangible assets, net		5,215		4,531
Total assets	\$	191,985	\$	196,827
Liabilities and shareholders' equity				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	21,177	\$	28,883
Current maturities of long-term lease obligations	Ψ	1,856	ψ	1,547
Total current liabilities		23,033		30,430
Long-term debt, net of debt discount and financing fees		47.070		46.603
Long-term lease obligations		47,272 19,734		21,142
Debt derivative liabilities		2,445		2,987
Other long-term liabilities		2,443		2,907
Total liabilities	-	92,578		101,162
Commitments and contingencies - see Note 12				
Shareholders' equity:				
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share; 100,000,000 shares authorized; 44,002,323 and 43,124,496 shares issued and outstanding		440		431
Additional paid-in capital		390,677		376,530
Accumulated deficit		(291,710)		(281,296)
Total shareholders' equity		99,407		95,665
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	191,985		196,827

#### AXOGEN, INC. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (unaudited) (In thousands, Except share and per share amounts)

		Three Months Ended			Nine Months Ended				
		September 30, 2024		September 30, 2023		September 30, 2024		September 30, 2023	
Revenues	\$	48,644	\$	41,271	\$	137,933	\$	116,090	
Cost of goods sold		12,206		9,567		33,531		26,242	
Gross profit		36,438	-	31,704		104,402		89,848	
Costs and expenses:									
Sales and marketing		18,924		19,165		58,437		57,471	
Research and development		6,996		6,694		21,063		20,164	
General and administrative		10,834		9,870		30,206		30,481	
Total costs and expenses		36,754		35,729		109,706		108,116	
Loss from operations		(316)		(4,025)		(5,304)		(18,268)	
Other income (expense):									
Investment income		296		367		816		1,151	
Rental income		90		_		90		—	
Interest expense		(1,893)		(827)		(6,405)		(992)	
Change in fair value of derivatives		13		402		542		649	
Other expense		(48)		(6)		(153)		(363)	
Total other (expense) income, net		(1,542)		(64)		(5,110)		445	
Net loss	\$	(1,858)	\$	(4,089)	\$	(10,414)	\$	(17,823)	
Weighted average common shares outstanding — basic and diluted		43,882,110		43,022,328		43,610,481		42,821,284	
Loss per common share — basic and diluted	\$	(0.04)	\$	(0.10)	\$	(0.24)	\$	(0.42)	

### AXOGEN INC. RECONCILIATION OF GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES TO NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

(unaudited)

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended				Nine Months Ended			
	Sep	tember 30, 2024	S	September 30, 2023		September 30, 2024		eptember 30, 2023
Net loss	\$	(1,858)	\$	(4,089)	\$	(10,414)	\$	(17,823)
Depreciation and amortization expense		1,719		1,224		5,034		2,874
Investment income		(296)		(367)		(816)		(1,151)
Income tax expense		26		12		76		331
Interest expense		1,893	_	827		6,405		992
EBITDA - non GAAP	\$	1,484	\$	(2,393)	\$	285	\$	(14,777)
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Non cash stock-based compensation expense	\$	5,004	\$	4,747	\$	12,830	\$	13,091
Adjusted EBITDA - non GAAP	\$	6,488	\$	2,354	\$	13,115	\$	(1,686)
Net loss	\$	(1,858)	\$		\$	(10,414)	\$	(17,823)
Non cash stock-based compensation expense		5,004	_	4,747		12,830		13,091
Adjusted net income (loss) - non GAAP	\$	3,146	\$	658	\$	2,416	\$	(4,732)
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Weighted average common shares outstanding basic and diluted		43,882,110	=	43,022,328	_	43,610,481	_	42,821,284
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Loss per common share — basic and diluted	\$	(0.04)		. ,		(0.24)		(0.42)
Non cash stock-based compensation expense	\$	0.11	\$	0.11	\$	0.29	\$	0.31
Adjusted net income (loss) per common share - basis and diluted - non GAAP	\$	0.07	\$	0.01	\$	0.05	\$	(0.11)

### AXOGEN, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (unaudited) (In thousands, except per share)

Common Stock

	Common	i Stoti							
	Shares		Amount	A	Additional Paid-in Capital		Accumulated Deficit	Τc	tal Shareholders' Equity
Three Months Ended September 30, 2024									
Balance at June 30, 2024	43,824,738	\$	438	\$	385,101	\$	(289,852)		95,687
Net loss	—		—		—		(1,858)		(1,858)
Stock-based compensation	—		—		5,004		—		5,004
Issuance of restricted and performance stock units	112,185		1		(1)		—		—
Exercise of stock options and employee stock purchase plan	65,400	_	1	_	573			_	574
Balance at September 30, 2024	44,002,323	\$	440	\$	390,677	\$	(291,710)		99,407
Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024									
Balance at December 31, 2023	43,124,496	S	431	\$	376,530	\$	(281,296)	s	95,665,197
Net loss		Ŷ		Ψ		Ψ	(10,414)	Ŷ	(10,414)
Stock-based compensation	_		_		12,830		_		12,830
Issuance of restricted and performance stock units	695,571		7		(7)		_		_
Exercise of stock options and employee stock purchase plan	182,256		2		1,324		_		1,326
Balance at September 30, 2024	44,002,323	\$	440	\$	390,677	\$	(291,710)	\$	99,407
Three Months Ended September 30, 2023									
Balance at June 30, 2023	42,979,541	\$	430	\$	370,036	\$	(273,314)		97,152
Net loss	_		_		_		(4,089)		(4,089)
Stock-based compensation	_		_		4,747				4,747
Issuance of restricted and performance stock units	59,858		_		_		_		_
Exercise of stock options and employee stock purchase plan	_		_		_		_		_
Balance at September 30, 2023	43,039,399	\$	430	\$	374,783	\$	(277,403)	\$	97,810
Nine Months Ended September 30, 2023									
Balance at December 31, 2022	42,445,517	\$	424	\$	360,155	\$	(259,580)	\$	100,999
Net loss	42,445,517	ψ	727	Ψ	500,155	Ψ	(17,823)	Ψ	(17,823)
Stock-based compensation	_				13,091		(17,025)		13,091
Issuance of restricted and performance stock units	356,236		4		(4)		_		
Exercise of stock options and employee stock purchase plan	237,646		2		1,541		_		1,543
Balance at September 30, 2023	43,039,399	\$	430	\$	374,783	\$	(277,403)	\$	97,810
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#### AXOGEN, INC.

#### Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited)

	Ni	Nine Months Ended				
	September 30, 2024		September 30, 2023			
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net loss	\$ (10,4	14) \$	\$ (17,823			
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:						
Depreciation	4,	331	2,660			
Amortization of right-of-use assets	:	389	820			
Amortization of intangible assets	:	202	21-			
Amortization of debt discount and deferred financing fees		569	66			
Provision for (recovery of) bad debt		504	(31)			
Change in fair value of derivatives	(5	42)	(649			
Investment (gains) loss		(95)	(660			
Share-based compensation	12,	30	13,09			
Change in operating assets and liabilities:						
Accounts receivable		(85)	(766			
Inventory	(6,2	43)	(4,114			
Prepaid expenses and other	1,	89	(623			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(7,	25)	3,012			
Operating lease obligations	(1,3	03)	(1,012			
Cash paid for interest portion of finance leases		(2)	(2			
Other liabilities		195	(14			
Net cash used in operating activities	\$ (4,2	.00) \$	\$ (5,505			
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Purchase of property and equipment	\$ (2.4	31) §	6 (12,409			
Purchase of investments	(5,	73)	(10,203			
Proceeds from sale of investments		_	42,874			
Cash payments for intangible assets	(1,2	.80)	(732			
Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities		84) \$	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Cash paid for debt portion of finance leases	S	(6) \$	5 (7			
Proceeds from exercise of stock options and ESPP stock purchases	•	(0) 4 326	1,543			
Net cash provided by financing activities		320 \$				
Net (decrease) increase in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash	(12,		15,56			
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash, beginning of period	37,		21,53			
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash, end of period	\$ 24.					

## Corporate presentation

November 7, 2024

nasdaq: axgn





## Safe harbor statement

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Actual results or events could differ materially from those described in any forward-looking statements as a result of various factors, including, without limitation, statements related to potential disruptions caused by leadership transitions, global supply chain issues, record inflation, hospital staffing issues, product development, product potential, expected clinical enrollment timing and outcomes, regulatory process and approvals, financial performance, sales growth, surgeon and product adoption, market awareness of our products, data validation, our visibility at and sponsorship of conferences and educational events, global business disruption caused by Russia's invasion of Ukraine and related sanctions, recent geopolitical conflicts in the Middle East, potential disruptions due to management transitions, as well as those risk factors described under Part I, Item 1A., "Risk Factors," of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the most recently ended fiscal year. Forward-looking statements are not a guarantee of future performance, and actual results may differ materially from those projected. The forward-looking statements are representative only as of the date they are made and, except as required by applicable law, we assume no responsibility to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements.



- with a differentiated platform
- 15+ years of demonstrated clinical outcome consistency
- 275 peer-reviewed clinical publications

- Exclusively focused on peripheral nerve repair Over 100,000 Avance® nerve grafts implanted
  - Significant barriers to competitive entry
  - Patient activation and surgeon education capabilities



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## The function of nerves and injury types

Nerves are like wires



- Transfer signals across a network
- · If cut, data cannot be transferred
- · If crushed, short circuits and data corruption may occur

The peripheral nervous system is a vast network from every organ to and from the brain

- Sensory
- Motor
- Mixed





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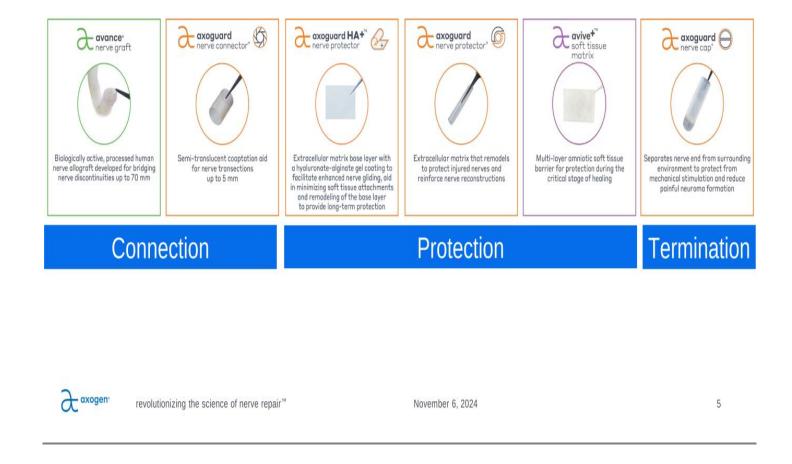
## Nerves can be injured in three ways:

1. Transection

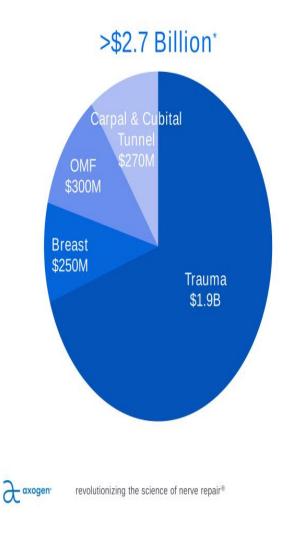
Traumatic nerve injuries e.g., motor vehicle accidents, power tool accidents, battlefield injuries, gunshot wounds, surgical injuries, neuroma-incontinuity

- 2. Compression Carpal, cubital, tarsal tunnel revisions, blunt trauma, previous surgeries
- 3. Stump Neuroma Amputations, mastectomies, previous surgeries

## Comprehensive platform for addressing nerve injuries



## Targeted nerve markets (U.S.)



# U.S. potential procedural estimates >900,000\*\*

- Trauma<sup>1-4</sup>: > 700,000
- Carpal and Cubital Tunnel Revisions<sup>5-8</sup>: 130,000
- Oral Maxillofacial (OMF)<sup>9-17</sup>: 56,000
- Breast Neurotization Procedures<sup>18</sup>: 15,000\*\*\*

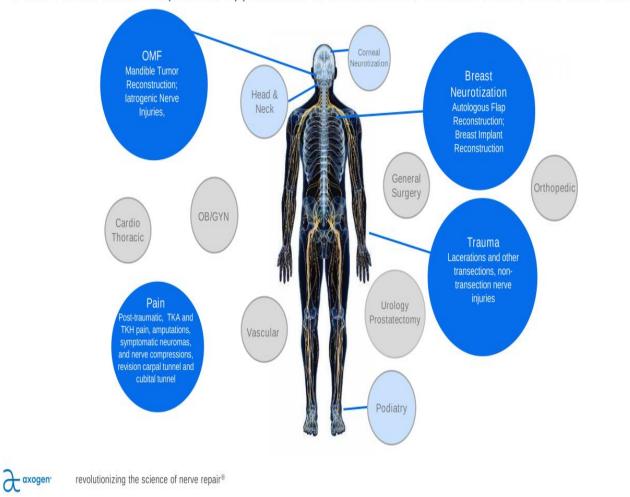
\*\$2.7B estimate does not include pain market or implant breast reconstruction neurotization

\*\*Referenced papers were used to derive specific assumptions in the procedure potential estimates. Papers used include both U.S. and OUS databases and studies. See Appendix for data sources.

\*\*\* Does not include implant-based procedures

## Opportunities in nerve repair

Core business anchored in Trauma and Upper Extremity, and expanded to Breast, OMF and Pain. Further Market Expansion Opportunities in Head & Neck, Corneal Neurotization and Podiatry.



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## Delivering strong revenue growth and gross margins

U.S. \$ in millions



### Management expects:

- Full-year 2024 revenue to be in the range of \$182 million to \$186 million.
- Additionally, we anticipate gross margin for the full year to be at the high end of the range of 74%-76%.
- · We expect to be net cashflow positive cumulatively in the period from April 1st through year end.



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74.9% gross margin for the quarter ended September 30, 2024

Q3 2024

\$48.6

## Growth drivers

## Clinical Data

- · Clinical data published supports increased adoption particularly with middle adopters
  - RECON<sup>SM 19</sup>
  - Meta Analysis of clinical outcomes and Medicare Economic Data<sup>20</sup>
  - Premier Economic Data<sup>21</sup>
  - Cost-effectiveness analysis of Avance<sup>22</sup>
- Innovation
  - New product launches in nerve protection: Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector™ launched in Q2 2023, Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix™ launched in Q2 2024
  - Resensation® for breast neurotization expansion into implant-based reconstructions

Sales Rep Productivity driving penetration in high-potential accounts

Patient Activation Programs for breast neurotization, surgical treatment of pain, and OMF

Surgeon Education across nerve repair applications



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## Axogen Processing Center (APC)

- Fully transferred all Avance processing to APC in December 2023
- Supports BLA requirements for Avance Nerve Graft<sup>®</sup>
- Provides 3x previous capacity, designed for long-term growth and expansion







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## **Product Portfolio**



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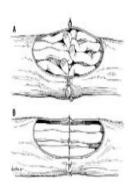
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## Traditional Transection repair options are suboptimal

### SUTURE

Direct suture repair of no-gap injuries

- Common repair method
- May result in tension to the repair leading to ischemia
- Concentrates sutures at the coaptation site



### AUTOGRAFT

Traditional method despite several disadvantages

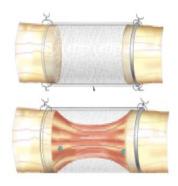
- Secondary surgery
- Loss of function and sensation at harvest site<sup>23</sup>
- High complication rates including wound healing (7%) and chronic pain (23%)<sup>23</sup>
- Limited availability of graft length and diameter



### SYNTHETIC CONDUITS

Convenient off the shelf option; limited efficacy & use

- Provides only gross direction for regrowth
- · Limited to small gaps
- 34%-57% failure rate >5mm gaps<sup>24, 25</sup>
- Semi-rigid and opaque material limits
   use and visualization
- Repair reliant on fibrin clot formation





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## Axogen solutions for Transection repair



axoguard nerve connector\*

Processed human nerve allograft for bridging nerve gaps Clinically studied off-the-shelf alternative

- A biologically active nerve therapy with more than ten years of comprehensive clinical evidence
- 82-84% meaningful recovery in sensory, mixed and motor nerve gaps in multi-center study<sup>26</sup>
- Eliminates need for an additional surgical site and risks of donor nerve harvest<sup>23</sup>
- Reduces OR time<sup>21</sup>

Structural support for regenerating axons

- Cleansed and decellularized extracellular matrix (ECM)
- Offers the benefits of human peripheral nerve micro-architecture and handling
- Revascularizes and remodels into patient's own tissue similar to autologous nerve27
- 16 size options in a variety of lengths (up to 70mm) and diameters (up to 5mm)

These highlights do not include all the information needed to use Avance® Nerve Graft safely and effectively. See full instructions for use (IFU) for Avance® Nerve Graft

### Minimally processed porcine ECM for connector-assisted coaptation Alternative to direct suture repair

- Reduces the risk of forced fascicular mismatch<sup>28,29</sup>
- Alleviates tension at critical zone of regeneration
- Disperses tension across repair site<sup>30</sup>
- Moves suture inflammation away from coaptation face<sup>31</sup>
- Remodels into vascularized patient tissue<sup>32-37</sup>

14 size options in lengths of 10mm and 15mm, and diameters up to 7mm

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## Traditional Compression repair options are suboptimal

### **VEIN WRAPPING**

Autologous vein

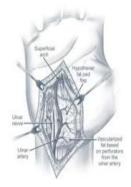
- Barrier to attachment to surrounding tissue
- Requires extra time and skill to perform spiral wrapping technique
- Second surgery site



### HYPOTHENAR FAT PAD

Autologous vascularized flap

- Barrier to attachment to surrounding tissue
- Only wraps part of the nerve circumference
- Increases procedure time



### COLLAGEN WRAPS

Off-the-shelf

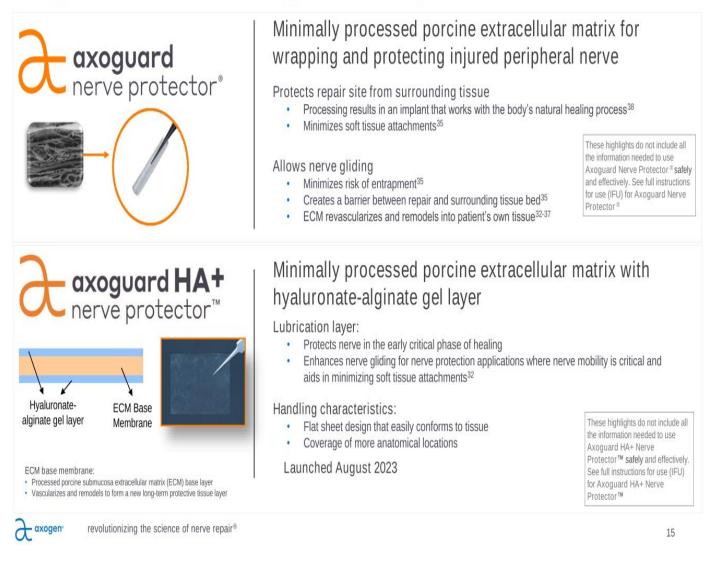
- · Semi-rigid material limits use
- Degrades over time and does not provide a lasting barrier to soft tissue attachment





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## Axogen solutions for Compression repair



## Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix™



Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix is a unique, multi-layer amniotic membrane allograft ideal for providing temporary protection for acute injuries.

### Resorbable

Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix is a temporary resorbable soft tissue barrier for the prevention of soft tissue attachment in an acute wound bed. Made from human birth tissue that will resorb after the critical stage of healing.

### Ease of use

The unique multi-layer design of amnion and chorion provides structural integrity that makes Avive+ easy to handle and, with the epithelial layer facing out on both sides, it can be applied in either direction intra-operatively.

### Inherent properties of amnion

Avive+ leverages the properties of amnion offering a homologous tissue option that has a low immune response and serves as a barrier to separate and reestablish tissue planes.

These highlights do not include all the information needed to use the Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix safely and effectively. See Package Insert (PI) for Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix

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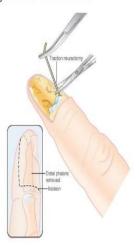
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## Traditional Stump Neuroma options are suboptimal

### TRACTION NEURECTOMY

Nerve placed in traction and cut to allow for retraction

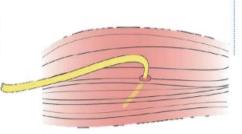
- Simply resecting the nerve results in subsequent neuroma formation and risk of secondary surgery
- Causes traction injury
- High risk of recurrence<sup>39</sup>



### **BURYING IN MUSCLE/BONE**

Traditional method of neurectomy and neuromyodesis

- Simply resecting the nerve results in subsequent neuroma formation and risk of secondary surgery
- Pain due to muscular contraction or localized pressure
- Larger surgical dissection
- Only 33-40% of patients were satisfied with treatment after burial into bone or muscle<sup>40</sup>



### **INJECTIONS**

Pharmacologic intervention, typically alcohol or steroids

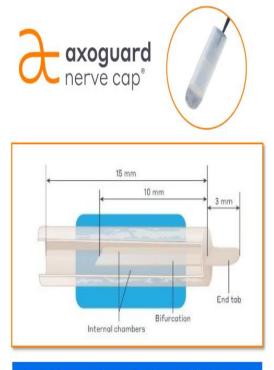
- Chemical injections are only successful 40% of the time <sup>41,42</sup>
- Temporary solution that has a reduced benefit over time
- May cause considerable side effects





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## Axogen solution for Stump Neuroma



Large Diameter Nerve Cap launched in February 2024. 3 larger sizes for larger diameter nerves. Expands addressable procedures in upper and lower extremity. Proprietary small intestine submucosa (SIS) matrix designed to separate the nerve end from the surrounding environment to protect it from mechanical stimulation and reduce painful neuroma formation<sup>\*</sup>.

Protects and isolates

- · Reduces the development of symptomatic or painful neuroma formation
- · Provides a barrier from neurotrophic factors and mechanical stimulation

SIS Material allows for vascularization and gradual remodeling (as shown in animal studies)<sup>32-37</sup>

 Material gradually incorporates into patient's own tissue, creating a physical barrier to surrounding soft tissue<sup>43</sup>

Intra-operative versatility

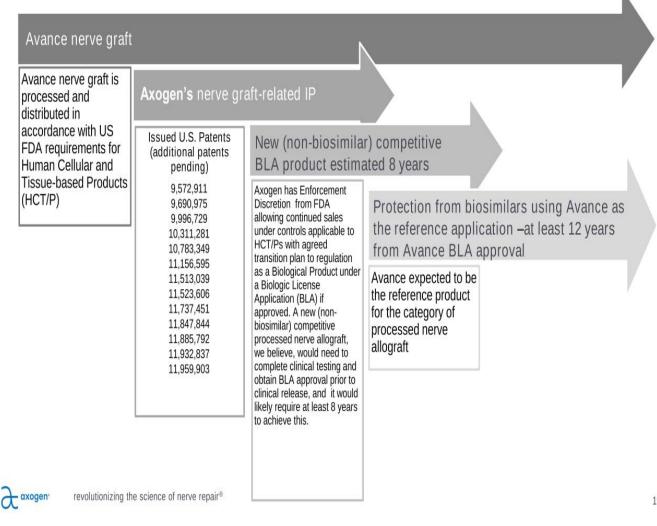
- · Ideal for anatomic areas with limited or no musculature
- Alternative to historical techniques such as burying in muscle or bone
- Available in a variety of diameters



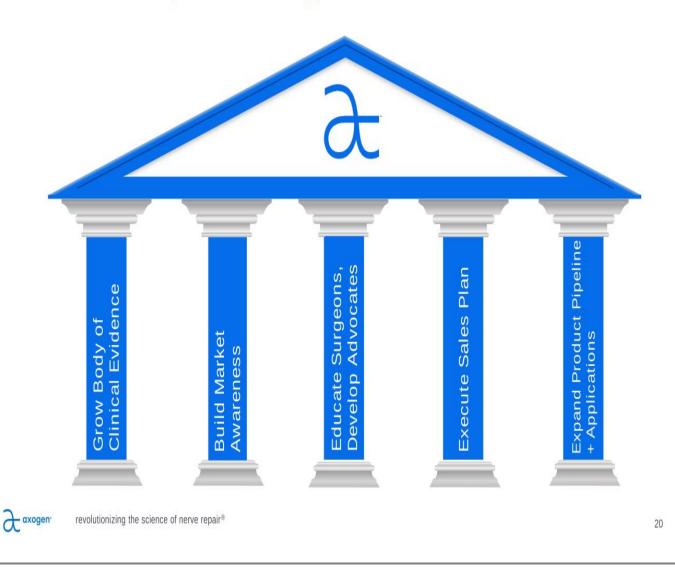
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## Avance Patents and Regulatory Landscape



## Market development strategy



## Strong commitment to developing clinical evidence



RANGER® Registry Study: Enrollment Complete

- Multi-center clinical study in PNR with >2,700 enrolled to date
- Overall meaningful recovery rates of 82-84%; comparable to autograft

### MATCH® Registry Study: Enrollment Complete

 Avance compared to matched cohort of autograft and synthetic conduits

Sensation-NOW® Registry Study: Enrollment Ongoing

· Multi-center clinical study in breast neurotization

### REPOSE®: Top line Data Read Out Complete

 Prospective, randomized, controlled study of Axoguard Nerve Cap<sup>®</sup> vs neurectomy

### REPOSE-XL<sup>SM</sup>: Pilot Study Enrollment Ongoing

 Pilot study evaluating the feasibility of large-diameter Axoguard Nerve Cap<sup>®</sup> for protecting and preserving terminated nerve ends after trauma or amputation

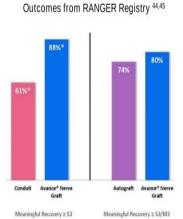
### COVERED<sup>SM</sup>: Enrollment Ongoing

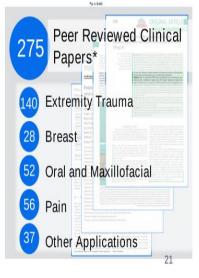
 Prospective, multi-center clinical case series evaluating Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector<sup>™</sup> in first revision cubital tunnel decompression

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\*Certain publications contain data on multiple applications.





## **RECON**<sup>®</sup>: A Multicenter, Prospective, Randomized, Subject & Evaluator Blinded Comparative Study of Nerve Cuffs & Avance Nerve Graft Evaluating Recovery Outcomes for the Repair of Nerve Discontinuities



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Evaluated upper extremity digital nerve repair for nerve gaps 5-25mm



220 subjects from up to 25 U.S. centers stratified into gap lengths with two-thirds in the 5-14mm group and onethird in the 15-25mm group

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## **RECON Study Topline Results**

## **Primary Endpoint Achieved**

- This phase three pivotal study met its primary endpoint for the return of sensory function as measured by static two-point discrimination, and the safety profile was consistent with previously published data
- The data will support the company's Biologics License Application (BLA) with a potential for approval in September 2025.

Statistical superiority demonstrated at increasing gap lengths

- Avance demonstrated statistical superiority for return of sensory function (measured by static two-point discrimination) as compared to conduits in gaps greater than 12 mm (p-value 0.021).<sup>19</sup>
- Avance demonstrated statistical superiority for time to recovery of static two-point discrimination as compared to conduits, returning normal sensation\* up to 3 months earlier in gaps greater than 10 mm (p-value 0.037).<sup>32</sup>

The safety profile was consistent with previously published data

 Conduit repairs were observed to have an increased likelihood of persistent and unresolved nerve pain with an incidence of 9 (8%) conduit subjects as compared to 2 (2%) Avance subjects.<sup>32</sup>

\*Normal Sensation is defined by the Medical Research Council Classification (MRCC) score as S4 or return of static two-point discrimination outcomes of ≤ 6mm.



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## **REPOSE Study Top Line Results**

## **Primary Endpoint Achieved**

REPOSE met primary endpoint of non-inferiority between the Month 12 pain visual analog scale scores for neurectomy with Axoguard Nerve Cap vs. standard-of-care neurectomy alone (p-value <0.05).

## Statistical superiority demonstrated in Reduction of Total Pain

 Axoguard Nerve Cap demonstrated statistical superiority vs. standard-of-care neurectomy in the Reduction of Total Pain reported by participants over the full 12-month course of follow-up (p-value <0.05)</li>

REPOSE is a post-market, randomized, comparative clinical study of standard-of-care neurectomy followed by reconstruction of the nerve end with Axoguard Nerve Cap, evaluating recovery outcomes for the treatment of symptomatic neuroma.

Study Details:

- · Multicenter, prospective, randomized, subject blinded trial
- 86 randomized participants
- 12-month follow-up
- · Pain, medication, Quality of Life questionnaires, recurrence of neuroma endpoints



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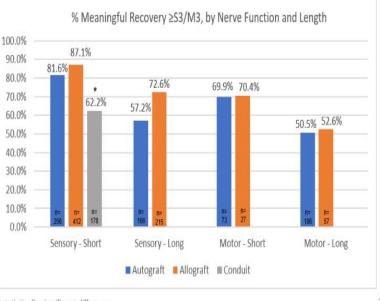
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## Independent Publication of Nerve Meta-Analysis Provides the Strongest Clinical and Economic Evidence To-Date of the Performance of Avance® Nerve Graft Across All Gap Lengths and Nerve Types

#### "Lans et al., A systematic review and meta-analysis of nerve gap repair: Comparative effectiveness of allografts, autografts, and conduits" – Journal of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery<sup>20</sup>

- Analyzed 35 peer-reviewed studies with 711 allograft, 670 autograft, and 178 conduit repairs, over four decades.
- There were no statistical differences between allograft and autograft outcomes over all gap lengths for both sensory and motor nerve repairs.
- Allograft and autograft repairs delivered significantly better rates of meaningful sensory recovery in short gaps as compared to conduit repairs; 87.1% and 81.6% vs. 62.2%, respectively, p<0.05.</li>
- The cost analysis found that allograft does not represent an increased economic burden compared to autograft.



\*statistically significant difference



## Procedure Costs of Peripheral Nerve Graft Reconstruction

Raizman et al. PRS Global Open<sup>21</sup>



• Retrospective study of U.S. all-payer data on facility procedure costs from 2018 to 2020. Included over 1,300 nerve repairs.

#### Conclusions:

- No significant differences in procedure costs for autograft and allograft repair in either inpatient or outpatient setting.
- OR time was significantly shorter for allograft repairs, in both outpatient and inpatient settings.



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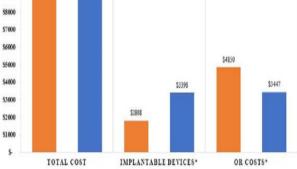
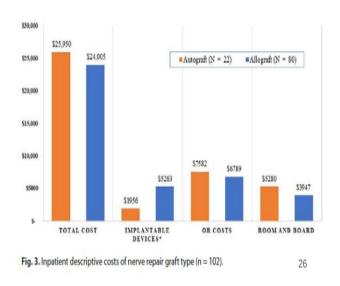


Fig. 2. Outpatient descriptive costs of nerve graft repair type (n = 1261).



## Focus on building awareness among clinicians and patients



- · Continuing clinical conference participation both virtually and in-person as appropriate
- · Ongoing patient ambassador program
- · Garnering positive media attention
- · Growing social media presence



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**Build Market** Awareness

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# Knowledge is power: continued education and advocacy efforts with patients, clinicians and key legislators elevates the problems associated with numbness.



## Emphasis on education



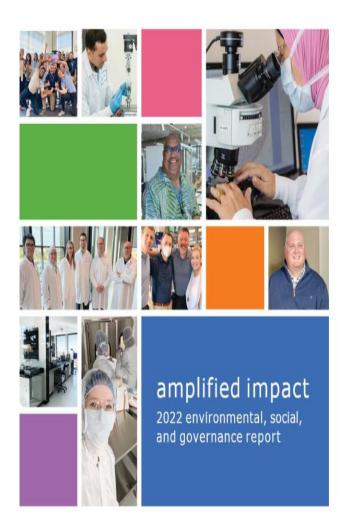


## Focused sales execution, increasing market penetration



#### Broad sales reach

- U.S. direct sales team
- Supplemented by independent agencies



Committed to our patients, the communities we serve, and our pursuit of advancing the science of nerve repair in ethical and sustainable ways

#### People Sustainability Business

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion - Being the Company where exceptional people want to work

Cybersecurity - Data Privacy, Training, and Policies

Compliance – Quality Management System, Regulatory, and Good Manufacturing Practices

Governance – Framework for Ethics Codes and Accountability

Environment - Responsible, Sustainable Operations





## Executive team



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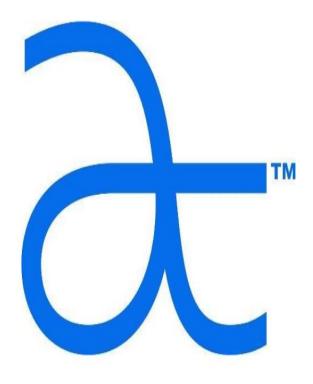


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# Appendix

- Key clinical data
- CMS outpatient and ASC reimbursement rates
- Total addressable market
- · Cash, debt, and capital structure
- Axogen product portfolio and indications for use



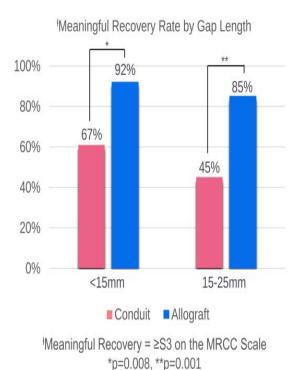


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# Avance nerve graft repairs found to be significantly better than conduit repairs

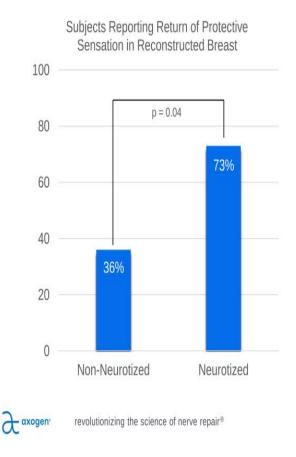
- "Leversedge et al., A Multicenter Matched Cohort Study of Processed Nerve Allograft and **Conduit in Digital Nerve Reconstruction**" Journal of Hand Surgery, September 2020<sup>44</sup>
- Peer-reviewed publication from the MATCH cohort of the RANGER Registry
- Includes outcomes from 110 subjects with 162 nerve injuries; 113 were repaired with Avance nerve graft and 49 were repaired with manufactured conduit
- Findings show overall meaningful recovery rate was 88% for Avance nerve graft and 61% for conduit (p=0.001) for gaps up to 25mm
- Average static two-point discrimination improved to 9.7mm for Avance nerve graft as compared to 12.2mm for conduit (p=0.018)
  - Note: lower measurement is reflective of improved discrimination and a better outcome
- As gap length increased, Avance nerve graft outcome rates remained consistent while conduit rates declined significantly





### First publication on breast neurotization outcomes with Avance Nerve Graft demonstrated greater return of protective sensation

"Momeni et al., Flap Neurotization in Breast Reconstruction with Nerve Allografts: 1-year Clinical Outcomes" – Plastic and Reconstructive Microsurgery Global Open, January 2021<sup>46</sup>



- Early outcomes from a single center study, as part of the Sensation-NOW<sup>®</sup> registry
- 36 breast reconstructions that included:

22 breast reconstructions with Resensation®

- 14 standard non-neurotized breast reconstructions
- Return of Protective Sensation (p=0.04)

73% of the Resensation group

36% of the non-neurotized group

 Neurotization with Avance Nerve Graft resulted in greater return of sensation and return of sensation in more of the breast as compared to standard reconstruction without nerve repair.

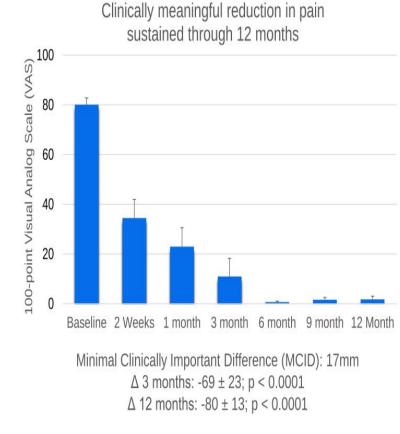
# Axogen sponsored REPOSE<sup>SM</sup> pilot study analysis demonstrates clinically significant improvement for subjects with chronic neuropathic pain when using Axoguard Nerve Cap<sup>®</sup> following neurectomy<sup>47</sup>

15-subject, single arm pilot phase evaluating reduction in pain from baseline following surgical excision of the neuroma and placement of the Axoguard Nerve Cap

- Significant & clinically meaningful reduction
  in pain
- Significant and clinically meaningful improvements in Fatigue, Physical Function, Sleep Disturbance, Pain Interference, Pain Intensity, and Pain Behavior as measured by the validated PROMIS<sup>®</sup> measures
- Positive indicators for reduction in pain medication burden, including opioids
- No recurrence of neuroma



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#### 2024-25 YOY CMS Proposed outpatient reimbursement rates - hospital and ASC

Although CMS rates<sup>1</sup> only apply to Medicare cases, which represents a small percentage of traumatic injuries, private payors are often influenced by the analysis and decisions made by CMS

CPT Code	Descriptor	C-APC	Hospital Outpatient (HOPD)			Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)		
Un code Descriptor C-A	UAPL	2024	Proposed 2025	% Change	2024	Proposed 2025	% Change	
64912	Nerve allograft repair <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,579	\$4,644	1.41%
64910	Conduit or vein allograft repair <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,288	\$4,495	4.82%
64885	Autograft repair (head and neck ≤4cm) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,496	\$3,136	-30.25%
64886	Autograft repair (head and neck >4cm) <sup>3</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$3,013	\$3,984	32.23%
64890	Autograft repair (hand and foot ≤4cm) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,583	\$3,136	-31.58%
64891	Autograft repair (hand and foot >4cm) <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$3,794	\$3,984	5.01%
64892	Autograft repair (arm and leg ≤4cm) <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,616	\$4,875	5.62%
64893	Autograft repair (arm and leg >4cm) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,677	\$3,136	-32.95%
64897	Autograft repair (arm and leg ≤4cm multiple strands) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$4,083	\$3,136	-23.20%
64895-96,98	Autograft repair (all other nerve type) <sup>5</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$3,013	\$3,136	4.08%
64834-36, 40, 56, 57, 62-64	Direct Repair (other hand / foot, arm/leg, repair / transpose, facial, low back,) <sup>5</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$3,013	\$3,136	<mark>4.08%</mark>
64865	Direct Repair of facial nerve <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$6,354	\$6,437	1.30%	\$3,796	\$3,984	4.95%
64831, 61	Direct Repair (digital, brachial plexus/arm) <sup>4</sup>	5431	\$1,842	\$1,946	5.66%	\$898	\$921	2.52%
64858	Direct Repair (sciatic) <sup>4</sup>	5431	\$1,842	\$1,946	5.66%	\$1,497	\$921	-38.50%

1. National average payment rates. Commercial payments are traditionally 1.5-2x higher than Medicare.

 Nerve allograft repair CPT 64912, conduit repair CPT 64910, autograft repairs hand/foot >4cm CPT 64891, arm/leg≤4cm CPT 64892, direct repair of facial nerve CPT 64865 remain in C-APC 5432 all continue to meet ASC device intensive criteria

3. Autograft repair head/neck >4cm CPT 64886 meets ASC device intensive criteria in 2025

 Direct repair digital CPT codes 64831, brachial plexus/arm 64861, and sciatic 64858 remain in C-APC 5431 and do not meet ASC device intensive criteria and in 2025 direct repair sciatic 64858 lost device intensive status.

Autograft repair all other nerve type CPT 64895-96,98 and Direct repair other hand/foot CPT 64834-36, leg CPT 64840, repair/transpose CPT 64856, arm/leg CPT 64857, low back CPT 64862-64 remain in C-APC 5432 and <u>do not meet ASC device intensive criteria</u>

6. Autograft repair head/neck >4cm CPT 64885, head/neck >4cm CPT 64890, arm and leg >4cm, and arm and leg <4cm multiple strands CPT 64897 remains in C-APC 5432 and no longer meets ASC device intensive criteria in 2025.

Note: Hospital inpatient rates for nerve repair align to DRGs 040, 041, 042 and range from \$11.4k to \$24.5k in the 2025 IPPS Final Rule

## 2024-25 YoY Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS): Proposed Physician Fee Schedule (PFS)

CPT Codes to f	Descriptor	Physician Fee Schedule (PFS)				
		2024	2025 Proposed	% Change		
64912	Nerve allograft repair	\$897	\$880	-1.95%		
64910	Conduit or vein allograft repair	\$765	\$752	-1.65%		
64885 to 64898*	Autograft repair	\$1,053 to \$1,427	\$1,032 to \$1,400	-1.9% to -2.00%		
64831 to 6486 <b>5</b> *	Direct Repair	\$701 to \$1,548	\$691 to \$1,514	-1.49% to -2.17%		

\*excludes add-on procedure codes

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CP1 Code	T Code Descriptor C-		2019	2024	2025 Proposed	6Y % Change	2019	2024	2025 Proposed	6Y % Change
64912	Nerve allograft repair <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$4,579	\$4,644	141.88%
64910	Conduit or vein allograft repair <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$2,613	\$4,288	\$4,495	72.02%
64885	Autograft repair (head and neck ≤4cm) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$4,496	\$3,136	63.33%
64886	Autograft repair (head and neck >4cm) <sup>3</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$3,127	\$3,013	\$3,984	27.41%
64890	Autograft repair (hand and foot ≤4cm) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$3,075	\$4,583	\$3,136	1.98%
64891	Autograft repair (hand and foot >4cm) <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$3,794	\$3,984	107.50%
64892	Autograft repair (arm and leg ≤4cm) <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$4,616	\$4,875	153.91%
64893	Autograft repair (arm and leg >4cm) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$4,677	\$3,136	63.33%
64897	Autograft repair (arm and leg ≤4cm multiple strands) <sup>6</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$4,083	\$3,136	63.33%
64895-96,98	Autograft repair (all other nerve type) <sup>5</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$3,013	\$3,136	63.33%
64834-36, 40, 56, 57, 62-64	Direct Repair (other hand / foot, arm/leg, repair / transpose, facial, low back,) <sup>5</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$3,013	\$3,136	63.33%
64865	Direct Repair of facial nerve <sup>2</sup>	5432	\$4,566	\$6,354	\$6,437	40.98%	\$1,920	\$3,796	\$3,984	107.50%
64831, 61	Direct Repair (digital, brachial plexus/arm) <sup>4</sup>	5431	\$4,566	\$1,842	\$1,946	-57.38%	\$1,920	\$898	\$921	-52.03%
64858	Direct Repair (sciatic) <sup>4</sup>	5431	\$4,566	\$1,842	\$1,946	-57.38%	\$1,920	\$1,497	\$921	-52.03%

1. National average payment rates. Commercial payments are traditionally 1.5-2x higher than Medicare.

 Nerve allograft repair CPT 64912, conduit repair CPT 64910, autograft repairs hand/foot >4cm CPT 64891, arm/leg≤4cm CPT 64892, direct repair of facial nerve CPT 64865 remain in C-APC 5432 all continue to meet ASC device intensive criteria

3. Autograft repair head/neck >4cm CPT 64886 meets ASC device intensive criteria in 2025

 Direct repair digital CPT codes 64831, brachial plexus/arm 64861, and sciatic 64858 remain in C-APC 5431 and do not meet ASC device intensive criteria and in 2025 direct repair sciatic 64858 lost device intensive status.

 Autograft repair all other nerve type CPT 64895-96,98 and Direct repair other hand/foot CPT 64834-36, leg CPT 64840, repair/transpose CPT 64856, arm/leg CPT 64857, low back CPT 64862-64 remain in C-APC 5432 and do not meet ASC device intensive criteria

6. Autograft repair head/neck >4cm CPT 64885, head/neck >4cm CPT 64890, arm and leg >4cm, and arm and leg ≤4cm multiple strands CPT 64897 remains in C-APC 5432 and no longer meets ASC 39

Note: Hospital inpatient rates for nerve repair align to DRGs 040, 041, 042 and range from \$11.4k to \$24.5k in the 2025 IPPS Final Rule

### 2019-25 Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS): Proposed Physician Fee Schedule (PFS)

CPT Codes3	Description	Physician Fee Schedule (PFS)					
CPT Codess	Descriptor	2019	2024	2025 Proposed	6Y % Change		
64912	Nerve allograft repair	\$804	\$897	\$880	9.40%		
64910	Conduit or vein allograft repair	\$825	\$765	\$752	-8.80%		
64885 to 64898*	Autograft repair	\$1,096 to \$1,495	\$1,053 to \$1,427	\$1,032 to \$1,400	-5.84% to -6.36%		
64831 to 64861*	Direct Repair	\$713 to \$1,604	\$701 to \$1,548	\$691 to \$1,514	-3.15% to -5.58%		

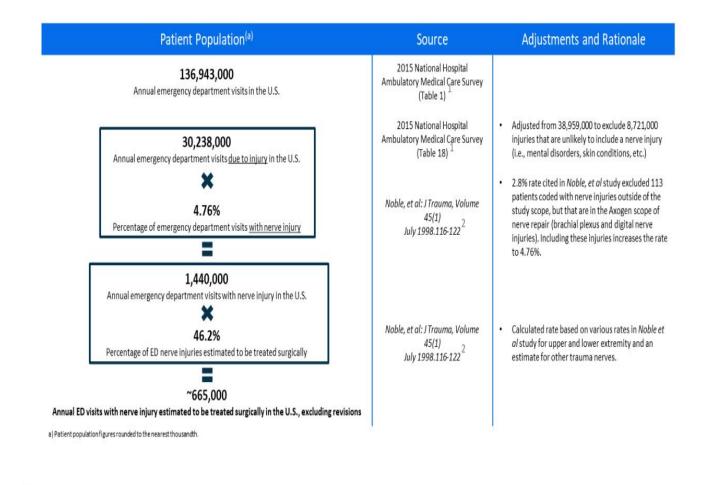
\*excludes add-on procedure codes



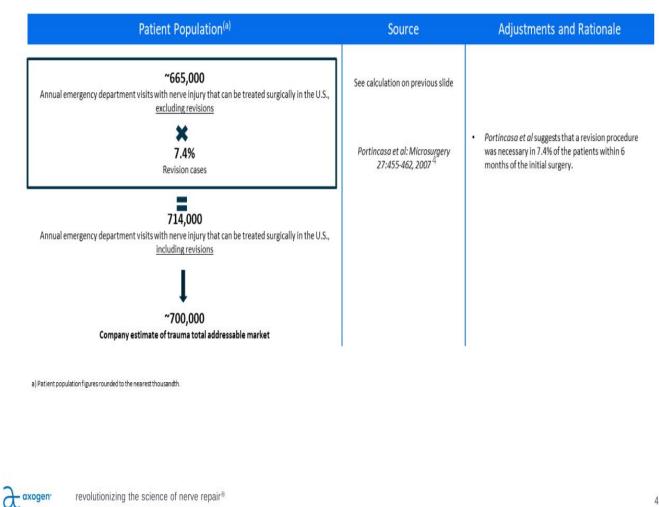
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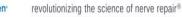
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## Estimated Trauma total addressable market



## Trauma total addressable market (continued)





# Estimated \$2.7B value of market opportunity in existing applications

	Projected Incidence <sup>(a)</sup>	Weighted Average Procedure Value	Estimated Total Addressable Market
Trauma	700,000 100%	\$2,715	\$1,900M <sup>100%</sup>
Transection injuries >5mm (b)	203,000 29%	\$5,515	\$1,120M 59%
Transection injuries <5mm	198,000 29%	\$1,200	\$238M 12%
Non-Transected Injuries (c)	293,000 42%	\$1,825	\$535M 28%
Carpal and Cubital Tunnel Protection	130,000	\$2,100	\$270M
Oral and Maxillo-Facial (OMF)	56,000	\$5,400	\$300M
Breast Reconstruction Neurotization	24,500 flaps (15,000 patients)	\$10,200	\$250M
Totals	>900,000 (potential)		>\$2.7B

a) Estimated Annual incidence of PNI surgery are figures rounded to the nearest thousandth except for Breast Reconstruction Neurotization (rounded to nearest hundredth).

b) Transection injuries > 5mm assumes a factor of 1.22 nerve repairs per procedures, and utilization of the Axogen portfolio of products, based upon data observed in the RANGER® registry.

c) Protection includes non-transected compression and crush injuries including protection from surrounding soft tissue attachments.

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We continue to see a significant growth opportunity in the trauma market as we leverage new clinical & health economic data and product launches, by category

AXGN Algorithm



## Balance sheet and capital structure

Balance Sheet Highlights	September 30, 2024		
Cash	\$30.5 million*		
Total Long-term Debt	\$47.3 million**		

Capital Structure (shares)	September 30, 2024
Common Stock	44,002,323
Common Stock Options, RSUs, PSUs	9,436,475
Common Stock and Common Stock Equivalents	53,438,798

\* Includes Cash, Cash Equivalents, Restricted Cash, and Investments

\*\* Total long-term debt includes debt proceeds under the terms of the agreement with Oberland Capital does not include unamortized debt discount and deferred financing fees.



## Axogen comprehensive portfolio of products

#### Avance® Nerve Graft

- Regulatory Classification: Avance Nerve Graft is processed and distributed in accordance with US Food and Drug (FDA) requirements for Human Cellular and Tissuebased Products (HCT/P) under 21 CFR Part 1271 regulations, US State regulations, and applicable international regulations. Axogen Corporation is accredited by the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB). Additionally, international regulations are followed as appropriate.
- Indication for Use: Avance Nerve Graft is processed nerve allograft (human) intended for the surgical repair of peripheral nerve discontinuities to support regeneration across the defect.
- Contraindications: Avance Nerve Graft is contraindicated for use in any patient in whom soft tissue implants are contraindicated. This includes any pathology that would
  limit the blood supply and compromise healing or evidence of a current infection.

#### Axoguard Nerve Connector®

- Regulatory Classifications: Class II Medical Devices 510(k) cleared, Class III Medical Devices, CE Marked (EU), Class 4 (CA)
- Indications for Use (US): The Axoguard Nerve Connector is indicated for the repair of peripheral nerve discontinuities where gap closure can be achieved by flexion of the extremity. The Axoguard Nerve Connector is supplied sterile and is intended for single use.
- · This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
- Indications for Use (EU and UK): The Axoguard Nerve Connector is indicated for the repair of peripheral nerve discontinuities with gaps up to 5 mm. The Axoguard Nerve Connector is supplied sterile and is intended for single use.
- · This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
- Contraindications: This device is derived from a porcine source and should not be used for patients with known sensitivity to porcine material. This device is not intended
  for use in vascular applications.

#### Axoguard Nerve Protector®

- · Regulatory Classifications: Class II Medical Devices 510(k) cleared, Class III Medical Device, CE Marked (EU), Class 4 (CA)
- Indication for Use: Axoguard Nerve Protector is indicated for the repair of peripheral nerve injuries in which there is no gap. The Axoguard Nerve Connector is supplied sterile and is intended for single use.
- This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
- Contraindications: This device is derived from a porcine source and should not be used for patients with known sensitivity to porcine material. This device is not intended
  for use in vascular applications.



## Axogen comprehensive portfolio of products (Cont'd)

#### Axoguard Nerve Cap®

- · Regulatory Classification: Class II Medical Device 510(k) cleared
- Indications for Use: Axoguard Nerve Cap is indicated to protect a peripheral nerve end and to separate the nerve from the surrounding environment to reduce the
  development of symptomatic or painful neuroma.
- · This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
- Contraindications: Axoguard Nerve Cap is derived from a porcine source and should not be used for patients with known sensitivity to porcine derived materials. Axoguard Nerve Cap is contraindicated for use in any patient for whom soft tissue implants are contraindicated; this includes any pathology that would limit the blood supply and compromise healing, or evidence of a current infection. Axoguard Nerve Cap should not be implanted directly under the skin. This device is not intended for use in vascular applications.
- Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector™
  - Regulatory Classifications: Class II Medical Devices 510(k) cleared (K223640)
  - · Indication for Use: Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector is indicated for the management of peripheral nerve injuries where there is no gap.
  - · This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
  - Contraindications: Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector base membrane is derived from a porcine source and the lubricant coating is composed of sodium hyaluronate and sodium alginate. The Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector should not be used for patients with known sensitivity to porcine, alginate, or hyaluronate materials. This device is not intended for use in vascular applications.
- Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector<sup>™</sup>
  - · Regulatory Classifications: Class II Medical Devices 510(k) cleared (K231708)
  - · Indication for Use: Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector is indicated for the management of peripheral nerve injuries where there is no gap, or following closure of the gap.
  - · This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
  - Contraindications: Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector base membrane is derived from a porcine source and the lubricant coating is composed of sodium hyaluronate and sodium alginate. The Axoguard HA+ Nerve Protector should not be used for patients with known sensitivity to porcine, alginate, or hyaluronate materials. This device is not intended for use in vascular applications.



## Axogen comprehensive portfolio of products (Cont'd)

Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix™

- Regulatory Classification: Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix is processed and distributed in accordance with US Food and Drug (FDA) requirements for Human Cellular and Tissue-based Products (HCT/P) under 21 CFR Part 1271 regulations, and US State regulations. Axogen Corporation is accredited by the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB).
- · Intended Use: Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix is processed amniotic membrane intended for use as a soft tissue barrier.
- · This product is intended for use by trained medical professionals.
- Contraindications: Avive+ Soft Tissue Matrix is contraindicated for use in any patient in whom soft tissue implants are contraindicated. This includes any pathology that
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